

FEB 23 2004

USSN 10/087,594

OFFICIAL

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

John D. Muzzy

Confirmation No.: 1163

Serial No.: 10/087,594

Group Art Unit: 1711

Filed: 03/01/2002

Examiner: Olga Asinovsky

Docket No.: 52005-1013

For: **FIBER-REINFORCED THERMOPLASTIC
COMPOSITE AND METHOD****SECOND COMMUNICATION**AF
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant notes that the Response to the outstanding Office Action originally submitted to the USPTO on November 21, 2003, has not been made of record in the above-referenced application. On January 29, 2004, Applicant submitted by facsimile a Communication containing a photocopy of the Response to the outstanding final Office Action filed on November 21, 2003. The Communication included a photocopy of the date-stamped return receipt postcard indicating that the Response was received by the USPTO on November 24, 2003. Applicant encloses a photocopy of this Communication and a copy of the confirmation sheet indicating the facsimile was successfully transmitted, and a copy of the Certificate of Transmission. Applicant respectfully requests that this Amendment be made of record and considered by the Examiner.

USSN 10/087,594

Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application and all pending claims are hereby courteously requested. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,



Charles Vorndran, Reg. No. 45,315

February 20, 2004
**THOMAS, KAYDEN,
HORSTEMEYER & RISLEY, L.L.P.**
100 Galleria Parkway N.W., Suite 1750
Atlanta, Georgia 30339
(770) 933-9500

USSN 10/087,594

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to:

ATTN: Examiner Olga Asinovsky/Group Art Unit 1711

Facsimile number: 703-872-9306

AF

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

on February 23, 2004.



Charles Vorndran, Reg. No. 45,315

In Re Application of:

John D. Muzzy

Confirmation No.: 1163

Serial No.: 10/087,594

Group Art Unit: 1711

Filed: 03/01/2002

Examiner: Olga Asinovsky

Docket No.: 52005-1013

For: **FIBER-REINFORCED THERMOPLASTIC
COMPOSITE AND METHOD**

The following is a list of documents enclosed:

Return Postcard

Second Communication

Photocopy of Communication filed on January 29, 2004, and fax confirmation

Copy of the Response to the outstanding Office Action filed with the USPTO on
November 21, 2003; and

Copy of the date-stamped, return receipt postcard

Further, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 20-0778 for any additional fees required. The Commissioner is requested to credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 20-0778.

USSN 10/087,594

PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

John D. Muzzy

Serial No.: 10/087,594

Filed: 03/01/2002

Confirmation No.: 1163

Group Art Unit: 1711

Examiner: Olga Asinovsky

Docket No.: 52005-1013

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 23 2004

OFFICIAL

For: **FIBER-REINFORCED THERMOPLASTIC
COMPOSITE AND METHOD****COMMUNICATION**

AF

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On November 21, 2003, Applicant filed a Response to the outstanding Final Office Action mailed on November 12, 2003. A review of the PAIR System indicates that the USPTO has not received this Response. Accordingly, Applicant encloses a photocopy of the Response and the date-stamped, return receipt postcard showing that the Response was received by the USPTO on November 24, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests that this Amendment be considered.

USSN 10/087,594

Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application and all pending claims are hereby courteously requested. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,



Charles Vorndran, Reg. No. 45,315

January 29, 2004

THOMAS, KAYDEN,

HORSTEMEYER & RISLEY, L.L.P.

100 Galleria Parkway N.W., Suite 1750

Atlanta, Georgia 30339

(770) 933-9500

USSN 10/087,594

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to:

ATTN: Examiner Olga Asinovsky/Group Art Unit 1711

Facsimile number: 703-872-9306

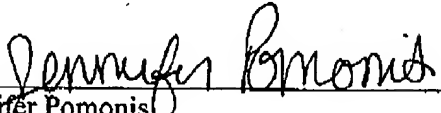
AF

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

on January 29, 2004.


Jennifer Pomonis

In Re Application of:

John D. Muzzy

Confirmation No.: 1163

Serial No.: 10/087,594

Group Art Unit: 1711

Filed: 03/01/2002

Examiner: Olga Asinovsky

Docket No.: 52005-1013

For: **FIBER-REINFORCED THERMOPLASTIC
COMPOSITE AND METHOD**

The following is a list of documents enclosed:

Return Postcard

Communication

Copy of the Response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 21, 2003;

and

Copy of the date-stamped, return receipt postcard

Further, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 20-0778 for any additional fees required. The Commissioner is requested to credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 20-0778.

TRANSMISSION VERIFICATION REPORT

TIME : 01/29/2004 13:29
NAME :
FAX :
TEL :
SER. # : BROM-J060467

DATE, TIME
FAX NO./NAME
DURATION
PAGE(S)
RESULT
MODE

01/29 13:24
17030729306052005
00:05:27
19
OK
STANDARD
ECM

Serial No. 10/087-594

Filed: 3/1/02

Patent No.

Issued:

Applicant: John Muzzi

Title: FIBER-REINFORCED RECYCLED THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITE

Docket No. 62006-1013

C/M Date: 11/21/03

EM No.

Due Date: 12/12/03

**PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
STAMP HEREON ACKNOWLEDGES
RECEIPT OF THE BELOW IDENTIFIED
PAPERS:**

Cert. of Mailing: ☒ Regular US Mail
☐ Express Mail

Fees ☐ \$
Pymt ☐ 3 Checks
Form ☐ Dep. Acct:
☐ Credit Card Paym't Form
☐ Fee Transmittal Page

- ☐ RCE Application Transmittal Pg.
- ☐ Missing Parts Response
- ☐ Copy of Missing Parts Notice
- ☐ Resp. Incomplete Application Papers
- ☐ Copy - Not. Incomplete Appl. Papers
- ☐ Declaration & Power of Attorney
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Small Entity Status Claimed
- ☐ IDS/Form 1449
- ☐ Cited Reference(s) ()
- ☐ Assignment/Assign't Cover Sheet
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☒ Amendment Transmittal Page
- ☒ Amendment:
 - ☐ Non-Final
 - ☒ Final
 - ☐ After Not. Allow
 - ☐ Unentered
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time to:
- ☐ Claim of Priority & Sub. Cert. Copy of Foreign Application
- ☐ Other:

Person Mailing: SLR

USPTO STAMP



- ☐ Request to Rescind Non-Pub.
- ☐ Petition to Make Special
- ☐ Status Inquiry (in duplicate)
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Appeal Brief (in Triplicate)
- ☐ Request for Refund
- ☐ Request for Correction F/R
- ☐ Notice of Continuation Applic.
- ☐ Issue Fee Trx. ☐ In Dupl.
- ☐ Sheets of Drawings
 - ☐ Formal ☐ Informal
- ☐ Letter/Trx. To Draftsman
- ☐ Prior to NOA ☐ W/ NOA
- ☐ Request for Cert. Of Correct.
- ☐ Certificate of Correction x 2
- ☐ Maintenance Fee Transmittal
 - ☐ 3.5 ☐ 7.5 ☐ 11.5
 - ☐ in duplicate

Responsible Atty: MPQ/CV

MEYER & RISLEY, L.L.P.

C 0 1 2003

FEB 23 2004

TKHR**THOMAS, KAYDEN, HORSTEMEYER & RISLEY, L.L.P.****OFFICIAL**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

100 Galleria Parkway, NW
Suite 1750
Atlanta, GA 30339-5948
Telephone: (770) 933-9500
Facsimile: (770) 951-0933
www.tkhr.comCharles Vorndran, Ph.D.
770-933-9500, ext. 416

E-mail: charles.vorndran@tkhr.com

FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

February 23, 2004

[52005-1013]

TOCommissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
(Attn: Examiner Olga Asinovsky
Group Art Unit 1711)

FAX: 703-872-9306

FROM

Charles Vorndran, Ph.D.

FAX: 770-738-0689

TEL:

TEL: 770-933-9500

RE: Patent Application Serial No. 10/087,594
For: FIBER-REINFORCED RECYCLED THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITE
Filed: March 1, 2002
Applicant: John Muzzy**Please see the attached Response with Amendments for the above-referenced application.****Number of Pages (Including This Cover Sheet): - 23 - Page(s)**
PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE SAFE AND CLEAR RECEIPT OF ALL PAGES.**CONFIDENTIAL**

The information in this facsimile message is legally privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or reproduction of this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile in error, please notify us by telephone and return the original message to us at the address above via the United States Postal Service. Thank you.

INTERNATIONAL PATENT, TRADEMARK AND COPYRIGHT LAW AND RELATED LITIGATION

◆ Atlanta, Georgia ◆ Huntsville, Alabama ◆